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- 1. ARTHUR TURNER, ASSISTANT SECRETARY AND HEAD, NORTHERN AND GENERAL AFRICA DEPARTMENT. OVERSEAS DEVELOPMENT MINISTRY (ODM). AND UK AMBASSADOR TO THE IVORY COAST, J.B. WRIGHT. WILL REPRESENT UK AT SUBJECT MEETINGS.
- 2. UK DOES NOT PLAN TO RAISE ANY PARTICULAR ISSUES IN PLENARY OR WITH BANK OR FUND OFFICIALS. THEY WILL, HOWEVER, MAKE GENERAL REFERENCE TO UNIT OF ACCOUNT PROBLEM. THEY WILL URGE THAT IT BE SETTLED AS SOON AS POSSIBLE SO THAT THEY CAN LAY ORDER BEFORE PARLIAMENT FORMALIZING THEIR CONTRIBUTION TO THE FUND. THE ONLY POSSIBLE BILATERAL QUESTION WHICH MAY BE RAISED WITH U.S. DELEGATION IS THAT OF U.S. ALTERNATE DIRECTORSHIP. TURNER HAS STILL NOT RESOLVED THIS ISSUE WITH YUGOSLAVS, ALTHOUGH HE HAS ASSURED US THAT HE IS MAKING EVERY EFFORT UNCLASSIFIED

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TO DO SO PRIOR TO MEETINGS IN MAURITIUS. WE EXPECT TO HAVE FULL REPORT FROM HIM ON YUGOSLAV REACTION TO HIS APPROACH BEFORE END OF MONTH.

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